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Applicant: Hideki KIKUI
Title: SUBSCRIBER CIRCUIT
Application No.: 09/592,915
Application Filing Date: 06/13/2000
Examiner: Briney III, Walter F.
Art Unit: 2644

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on September 6, 2005.

Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on __ but not considered.

Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on __.

b. Enclosed are:

Amendment/Reply.

Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

Information Disclosure Statement.

Form PTO-1449 with copies of __ listed reference(s).

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02	FC:1253	900.00	OP

Miscellaneous:

Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of __ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

		Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):					\$790.00	= \$790.00
Total Claims:	8	-	20	= 0	\$50.00	= \$0.00
Independents	2	-	3	= 0	\$200.00	= \$0.00
			First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:	+ 0	\$360.00	= \$0.00
					CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:	= \$790.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	0	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00		\$0.00
[X]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00		\$1,020.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00		\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00		\$0.00
		EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:		\$1,020.00
		EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:	-	\$120.00
		EXTENSION FEE TOTAL		\$900.00
		CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$1690.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract 1/2 of above):			\$0.00
[]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			\$0.00
		TOTAL FEE:		\$1690.00

[] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$1690.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

[X] A check in the amount of \$1690.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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